



CALTRANS COMMUTER ALERT

05-020a

Date: Thursday, January 13, 2005
District: 8 – Riverside and San Bernardino Counties
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WHAT: STORM WATCH

WHEN THURSDAY, JANUARY 13, 2005 (1500)

WHERE: SAN BERNARDINO AND RIVERSIDE COUNTIES

The following is an update of current road conditions due to storms in Riverside and San Bernardino counties.

**** CHP ESCORTS ON SR-18 ONLY***SR-330 REMAINS CLOSED!*****

HIGHWAY	STATUS	REASON	DURATION
Northbound I-215 connector to southbound I-15	CLOSED	Flooding	Approximately one week
**SR-18 from 40th St. to Crestline (SR-138) Escorts for RESIDENTS ONLY from 5-7 AM and 5-7 PM local ID required	ESCORTS ONLY	Additional Slides	Unknown Duration
SR-18 (The Narrows) from Jct 18/138 to Crest Forest Drive	CLOSED	Slides/Road Undermined	UNKNOWN DURATION
SR-18 from Snow Valley to Big Bear Dam	CLOSED	Slides	Approximately one week
SR-18 (backside) near the Mitsubishi and Power Plants	CLOSED	Road Undermined	UNKNOWN DURATION
SR-330 from Highland Ave. to Live Oak NO ESCORTS – WILL REMAIN CLOSED	CLOSED	Sinkhole	UNKNOWN DURATION
SR-138 from east of I-15 to Old Mill Rd.	OPEN		RESIDENTS ONLY ID REQUIRED
SR-38 – OPEN TO ALL TRAFFIC	OPEN		
In LA County west of Pinon Hills - SR-138 is closed from LA County Line to SR-18	CLOSED	Flooding	May open late today 1-13-05
SR-173 from SR-138 to Arbon Rd.	CLOSED	Flooding	UNKNOWN DURATION

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SR-243 from Poppet Flats to Alandale (about 5 miles north of Idyllwild)	OPEN		
SR-195 (Avenue 66) at Pierce	CLOSED	Structural Damage	End of March 2005
SR-142 between Olinda Village and Regional Park	CLOSED	Mudslide	Opens tomorrow 1-14-05
SR-83 from SR-71 to Kimble Avenue	OPEN		
SR-74 from Orange Cty Line to Grand Ave.	CLOSED	Slides	Approximately one week
SR-2 from LA County Line to Big Pines	CLOSED	Winter Closure	Until Spring 2005

Caltrans and contractor crews are working 24 hours a day to reopen closed roads as quickly as possible. Motorists are strongly advised not to pass barricades onto closed roads. This action may cause harm to you and your passengers along with road crews. Road openings can be delayed when motorists drive on unopened roads which results in further deterioration to pavement.

This information will be updated when available.

Motorists are advised to drive with caution and check road conditions before your trip. Please call the "Road Conditions Hotline" at (800) 427-7623 or Public Affairs at (909) 383-4631. You may also check road conditions on our website at www.dot.ca.gov/dist8.

Stay alert – stay alive and ***SLOW FOR THE CONE ZONE!***

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